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WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH.

SALE BILLS,
ENVELOPES,
LETTER HEADS,
INVITATIONS,
ETC., ETC.
CALL AND SEE US.

More than sixty million lobsters have been taken by the United States Fish commission. It is estimated that fully one-third will attain adulthood without being eaten by fish.

The Royal Historical society has decided to commemorate the centenary of the death of Chillon in a suitable manner in the fall. There will be an address and an exhibition of portraits, MSS. and other relics of the great hero.

The Countess Alessi, of Turin, Italy, who has celebrated her one hundredth birthday, accompanied her husband through all the hardships of the war, cow campaign, while she was a bride of eighteen. She is in full possession of her faculties, and spends several hours a day in piano practice.

The old town of Appomattox, in Virginia, is almost entirely deserted. There are five negro families and one white family still living there, but they have no business, and their purpose is to migrate before next spring. The streets are choked up with weeds and grass, and the houses are falling to pieces.

The title president occurs in the Bible. "It pleased Darius to set over the kingdom 120 princes, which should be over the whole kingdom, and over these three presidents, of whom Daniel was first; that the princes might give accounts unto him, and the king should have no damage."—Daniel vi, 1-2.

EXPERIMENTS are being conducted in the army at Springfield, Mass., in the use of aluminum for the bayonet guards for the new rifle. While the metal works well in being put on the steel scabbard, no satisfactory method has been devised for soldering the edges together.

It is estimated that Florida's crop of pineapples this year will aggregate 50,000 crates, or fully 1,500,000 pineapples. Last year's crop aggregated 35,000 crates. The growers have been doing so well financially that the acreage set to "pines" is increasing very rapidly, and it is expected that the crop of 1892 will amount to 100,000 crates.

The Gould family, of New York, have been assessed by the city officials for \$10,700.00 in personal property. The assessment is based on the value of the residence at Lakewood, N. J., and the property in New York. The family has been assessed for \$10,700.00 in personal property.

SINCE Timothy Pickens, at the close of the last century, has successively the offices of postmaster general, secretary of war, and Secretary of state, Judge Gresham is the only man who has held three cabinet positions. President Arthur made him postmaster general in 1883, and a year later, on Folger's death, nominated him for secretary of the treasury.

A WOMAN'S suffrage echo is found in the present agitation for the admission of women to the galleries of the house of commons. The late speaker, Mr. Balfour, has barred them from attending, which has filled the papers with columns of comment, the general trend of which is to the effect that the women are aroused to a lively fight for the privilege.

A STRANGLER who has been discovered off Glacier Bay, Alaska, by a party of excursionists. This curious phenomenon is seen regularly after full moon in June, and in no other time. It is said to be a beautiful mirage of some unknown city suspended directly over the bay. A photographer has taken pictures of the phenomenon, but no one has been able to identify one of the ghostly buildings outlined.

CONVICTED that his trotting horse Mustang was suffering from indigestion because he couldn't chew his feed, a Kentucky farmer named Mr. Jones took to make a false set of horse teeth. They were substituted for the natural teeth, which were extracted. The indigestion had not been a success. Every time Mustang ate, he would get his teeth in the road, and his owner loses valuable time picking them up.

LORD CHIEF JUSTICE COLERIDGE was the only person who ever had the honor of sitting with the justices of the supreme court of the United States during an argument. In the state of Virginia, a picture of Justice Coleridge is placed in the center of the frame in the inscription, "Respectfully presented to the Judges of the Supreme Court at Washington by the Lord Chief Justice of England in the great meeting of the bar conferred on the 19th of October, 1835."

It appears that Mr. Cassin-Perrier was elected for the full term of four years and not, as might naturally be supposed, to fill out the unexpired term of President Carnot. Within three days of the death of the president and with scarcely a ripple in the waters, without a single nomination, election, stump speech or even a band wagon, a new administration is fixed up and set running on a seven years' lease and France goes about its business as though nothing had happened.

It is claimed that the theory of inoculation as a cure for diphtheria has been thoroughly and successfully tested. The process is by injecting some of the blood of an animal that has been inoculated with a weak culture of the diphtheria bacteria, only strong enough to slightly affect the animal. On repeated occasions of late it is claimed that sufferers from diphtheria have been treated in this manner, both in Berlin and London hospitals, and in every case prompt cures have been wrought. This, if true, proves one of the greatest medical triumphs of the age.

THE question, Is a man the owner of his own teeth? has come before a German court at Gera. A man made up his mind to have an aching tooth pulled out. When it was drawn it was of such curious shape that the dentist declared he would keep it as a curiosity. His patient, however, thought he would like to keep it himself, and claimed it, but the dentist, on the ground that a tooth, when drawn with the free consent of the patient, is ownerless property as soon as it leaves the jaw, refused to give it up. The patient at once entered an action against the dentist.

AT A DANCE.

An Italian Becomes Excited and Fires Right and Left.

At Least Ten Persons Were Hurt by the Deadly Bullets. The Shooter Caught and Killed a Death Dealer. Officer Interfered in His behalf.

HICKMAN, Pa., July 16.—While attending a picnic at Lindemeyer's park, Mike Rossmore, an Italian, was knocked down on the dancing floor by Giovanni Perna, a fellow countryman, instantly drew his revolver.

The platform was then covered with men and women, who were trying to take part in the dance. Perna fired ball hitting him in the back. The bullet was about to be attached, began firing right and left, emptying his revolver.

It is known that ten persons were killed and four wounded. Perna was shot in the neck; Clifford Mink, shot in the thigh; T. Williams, colored, shot in the chest; and a woman, shot in the leg. William Bakeland, shot in the knee. A fifteen-year-old boy named Cook was shot in the side and an unknown woman was shot in the hip.

There was a riot in the city. The crowd was very large and the police were unable to control it. The riot was caused by the shooting and the crowd was very excited.

STEERAGE RATE WAR.

American Lines Makes a Surprising Cut.

NEW YORK, July 16.—That there will be a very lively war in steamer rates is no one who is cognizant of shipping interests doubts. The announcement of a new rate of \$2.00 for the American line has caused a great deal of excitement.

THE LONDON TIMES.

Comments Upon the American Strike Riots.

LONDON, July 16.—The American strike riots have been the subject of much comment in the London Times. The paper has been very critical of the American situation.

REPORTERS' FAILURE AS SWITZERLAND.

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THE CHOLERA AN ACTUAL MENACE.

LONDON, July 16.—By day by day the cholera epidemic in London has become an actual and potential menace. Reports from the cities abroad plague ridden show that the most virulent sanitary measures have been of little or nothing in suppressing the scourge.

FALL OF THE BASTILLE.

PARIS, July 16.—The city was in a state of excitement today in celebration of the anniversary of the fall of the Bastille. The people were very enthusiastic and the streets were filled with flowers.

PULLMAN SHOPS AT LUDLOW TO BE OPEN.

CINCINNATI, July 16.—An order has been issued at Ludlow to open the Pullman shops next Monday. All employees who were forced out of the shops taken back, but it is claimed the original strikers will be refused work.

FOUND DEAD IN HER ROOM.

BOSTON, Mass., July 16.—Mrs. Allen, a colored cook at the residence of J. A. Sedgewick, was found dead in her room Saturday morning. Her throat was cut from ear to ear, and she appeared to have been murdered. Officers are now searching for her.

McFARLAND WILL HANG.

WELCH, Va., July 16.—John McFarland, colored, will be hanged here next Friday. All efforts to have his sentence commuted to life imprisonment have proved unavailing.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Passenger Train on the Chicago and Grand Trunk Wrecked. Fireman Killed and Several Injured.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., July 17.—A bad wreck on the Chicago and Grand Trunk at this place occurred at 3 o'clock Monday morning.

The train had just passed the top of the hill and was coming down the grade when the engine and train left the track and jumped into the ditch. The train was the same one that was in the awful wreck last fall. It consisted of the express car, baggage car, one day coach and four Pullman cars.

When the rails passed the engine ran about one hundred feet and then went over its side in the ditch. The tender followed suit and the day coach was thrown on its side.

The trucks of the cars were forced off, and they were badly wrecked. The end of the baggage car, which was crushed in, and all of the detailed coaches were stove in and badly demolished. There were 73 passengers on the train, and all were more or less shaken up, but not seriously injured.

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BISMARCK'S PLAN.

A Labor Solution Discussed by the Chicago Leaders.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Labor leaders now in the city were asked for their opinion of the plan for the solution of labor troubles, which originated with Prince Bismarck and is now in successful operation in Germany. Briefly, the plan submitted is that congress should pass a law reserving a pension fund for the employees of the great railroad corporations. This fund should consist, say two per cent. of the men's earnings and one per cent. of the gross earnings of the railroad companies.

It should be controlled by a financial agent of the government and should be invested in sound railroads. The bill should provide that any man who had faithfully discharged his duties for a certain number of years could retire for life on full pay. If a man was killed in the line of duty he should be entitled to the pension. There should also be a cash providing for the payment of a certain sum where employees are ill.

Mr. Debs could not eradicate his idea of the ownership of railroads, but he was willing to accept the plan proposed. He wished to hear it discussed, however, by the men of the day. Vice President Howard, of the American Federation of Labor, was disposed to criticize the scheme, but thought it on the whole a meritorious one.

SEVERAL BAYONETTED.

A Mob at Oakland Resisted an Effort to Move a Train, and Are Charged by Police with Murder.

OAKLAND, Cal., July 17.—Monday afternoon a freight train was started for Menlo Park. Strikers impeded the movement of the train and pulled pins from the drawheads, and cut the air pipe. The police and militia charged, and several persons were bayoneted, one of them being a woman.

The second attempt to start the Menlo Park freight train was made at 4 o'clock. It was successful. The first freight train over the Central route since the strike arrived Monday in three sections.

In view of the trouble and blockades between the line a Hotchkiss gun has been mounted on a flat car, where it will be held in readiness to go out at a moment's notice with a gang of section men and train repairers.

The local A. F. of L. Monday afternoon issued a warning to the traveling public not to patronize the Southern Pacific line, as such travel is unsafe.

Explosion of Fire Damp.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 17.—An explosion occurred in the Lockhart mines, near the city, at 9 o'clock Monday morning, while work was going on. Frank Smother, a colored driver, and a mule were instantly killed, and two other Negroes were injured. Several thousand dollars' damage to the mines was also done. The explosion was planted in a beer keg and sunk in the ground immediately in the main heading, near which all the Negro employees would have to pass. Suspicion points to striking miners.

Old Wages Again.

COLUMBUS, O., July 17.—The trouble between the Chicago & North Western and the Pullman company has been settled, the company agreeing that the wages paid are already as low as is consistent with decent living, and the strikers will open at once with wages at the old figures.

Retard for Wreckers.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Officials of the Grand Trunk reported Monday afternoon that \$500 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those who caused the Battle Creek wreck.

Through Sympathy.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., July 17.—The men of the Lake Superior Terminal, a local union of 100 men, are trying to get all the switching at the head of the lake. They went out before the company hauled Northern Pacific and Omaha cars.

Rossa Gets Three Votes.

DUBLIN, July 17.—The voting of candidates for the office of mayor by the municipal council Monday morning in the election of Edward Clancy, O'Donovan, and three other candidates, was held at the city hall.

No Strike at the Stockyards.

CHICAGO, July 17.—There was no general strike at the stockyards Monday. The report that a walk-out would occur in the election of Edward Clancy, O'Donovan, and three other candidates, was held at the city hall.

NEW CRUISER.

Minnesota Proves to Be the Fastest Warship in the World.

On Her Trial Trip She Made a Speed of 23.43 Miles Per Hour. Her Engines Are Reported to Have Made 134 Revolutions Per Minute.

BOSTON, July 16.—The new cruiser Minneapolis anchored off Boston Light at 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The proud holder of the world's record for speed of a warship. Two hours later the party who had enjoyed the attraction of being present at the fastest warship in the world landed in Boston.

The requirements of the contract were that she should make 21 nautical miles per hour, and for each quarter of a knot above that figure the firm of Crump & Sons, builders, were to receive the sum of \$50,000. Hence, when the ship made 23.43 miles per hour, the big anchor drop out of sight of the water at the close of the trial, the ship had the satisfaction of knowing that she had made the contract.

At 8 o'clock the new cruiser started for New York, where she was to begin her journey of nearly 33 nautical miles for fame and money. The boat passed Boston Light at 8:30 and soon after the forced draught was put on and the ship sped on its way.

At 10 o'clock the ship was in the harbor, and the trial was over. The ship had made the contract, and the firm of Crump & Sons were to receive the sum of \$50,000.

As she crossed the line of the first mile, the engines were credited with making 124 revolutions a minute and the boilers with 150 pounds of steam. Despite the speed at which she was going, the ship was not in a hurry to leave the harbor.

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BLOWN TO ATOMS.

A Battery Calson Explodes—Four Officers Killed and a Large Number Badly Wounded.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Exploding shot and shrapnel brought shrieking carnage among soldiers, civilians and horses Monday afternoon on Grand Boulevard, one of Chicago's finest driveways. The troops of four United States soldiers were killed and a large number of civilians were wounded.

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FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

How the McKinley Bill is Passed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—SENATE. Mr. Puffer (Rep., Kan.) made a most remarkable speech in the Senate today in speaking of the McKinley bill. He prophesied trouble, and called attention to the public danger, and the start the declaration that he would not only oppose the bill, but would secure an effort to abolish the house of representatives for its defense of monopolies and trusts.

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